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## WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU GRANTS UPPER AND LOWER PAGING BANDS LICENSES

## **AUCTION EVENT NO. 40**

Report No. AUC-40 (Auction No. 40)

On March 12, 2003, the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau announced that it was prepared to grant applications for the licenses listed in Attachment A, to winning bidders of the Upper and Lower Paging Bands licenses (Auction No. 40), provided that each applicant made full and timely payment of the remaining balance of its winning bids.<sup>1</sup> The payment deadline was March 26, 2003.<sup>2</sup>

The Commission received full and timely payment, as required by section 1.2109(a) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R § 1.2109(a), for the applications listed in Attachment A. Accordingly, by this Public Notice, we announce the grant of the Upper and Lower Paging Band licenses listed in Attachment A. We grant these licenses pursuant to Section 309(a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 309(a), and section 0.331 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 0.331, because it will serve the public interest, convenience and necessity.

This Public Notice contains the following Attachments:

Attachment A: List of Applications the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau is Granting – sorted by Applicant.

Attachment A1: List of Applications the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau is Granting – sorted by market and block.

Attachment B: Instructions for Searching for Applications Listed in Attachment A Using ULS.

Attachment C: Instructions for Searching for Granted Licenses Listed in Attachment A Using ULS.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Announces it is Prepared to Grant Upper and Lower Paging Bands Licenses Upon Full and Timely Payment, *Public Notice*, DA 03-751 (rel. Mar. 12, 2003).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See id.

Attachment D: Instructions for Accessing the FCC Network Using Windows 95/98.

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